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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
Kiyotaka MIYANO) Group Art Unit: 2823
Application No.: 10/706,034) Examiner: Dang, Trung Q.
Filed: November 13, 2003) Confirmation No. 6028
For: SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE AND)
METHOD OF MANUFACTURING)
THE SAME)

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

AMENDMENT

In reply to the Office Action mailed December 1, 2004, with a period for response extending through April 1, 2005 by the attached Petition for Extension of Time of One Month and requisite fee payment, please amend the application as follows.

Amendments to the Drawings are made in the attached replacement sheets and are discussed in the **Remarks** section of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims beginning on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 8 of this paper.

Attachment to this Amendment: One (1) sheet of drawings, labeled "Replacement Sheet," containing amended FIGS. 25 and 26.